



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Kirk Hogan
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Entitled: **Methods and Compositions for Perioperative Genomic Profiling**
Group No.: 1634
Examiner: J.A. Goldberg

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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